

May 13, 1983

Memo to File:

RE: Western Clay Company
Redmond Limestone Quarry
ACT/041/004
Sevier County, Utah

On May 5, 1983, Division representatives D. Wayne Hedberg, Susan Linner and Tom Portle visited the above-referenced minesite. They were accompanied by Tom Robison of Western Clay. The purpose of the visit was to scope out the best location for a suitable test plot/contemporaneous reclamation site pursuant to condition #1 as outlined in a March 3, 1983 tentative approval letter (agreed upon April 26, 1983).

Mr. Robison indicated that a space of about 240 square feet would be available this fall for reclamation following backfilling activities. This is greatly less than cited by Mr. Robison in a January 13, 1983 letter where he indicates that some 15,000 square feet is available for fall of 1983.

This concern will be incorporated in the letter on test plot design. Test plot designs are forthcoming and will be sent to the operator for concurrence.

Item of Concern

Topsoil handling procedures were not in accord with the approved plan. Topsoil which had been bladed off upon resource access had been partially covered over with overburden. The topsoil stockpile nearest the site of future test plots had been flattened as per the approved plan. A screening unit will leave material between three and four inches. This material will then be stockpiled. No seeding had occurred on any stockpiles. Seeding was to have occurred last fall. A letter has been sent to Western Clay regarding topsoil problems.

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Attachment #7



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